

Eczema

How it reddens the skin, itches, oozes, dries and scales!
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Hard on Kentucky.

The Kentucky Gazette in a column editorial says that prosperity in that is founded upon vice. It says:

"The great material prosperity of the state of Kentucky is founded upon vice. This vice consists of tobacco, whisky and race horses. The tobacco raised in the state is reported at 190,000,000 of pounds or nearly as much as the aggregate of all the other states. Whisky is another source of prosperity. And although some states exceed Kentucky in the production of alcohol yet in drinking whisky for social and convivial purposes Kentucky whisky exceeds in production all the other states. The use of tobacco is a vice pure and simple. The cultivation of tobacco has no redeeming virtue.

Then after paying his respects to the race horse, the editor adds:

"Kentucky's prosperity being founded on vice, it is no wonder that the ambition of the people is so low and that public opinion is so corrupt and that the men and their conduct, that would disgrace a band of pickpockets are tolerated and countenanced who would be cut and tabooed by gentlemen in every civilized country in Europe.

"This is the condition of Kentucky at the present time. The finest estates in the commonwealth are devoted to encouragement of the vices we have named and while other states encourage manufactures and the production of food staples, Kentucky's most valuable commodities are whisky, tobacco and race horses."

It is suspected that the editor of the Gazette is in training for a position on the Kansas City Star or the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. He could pound one of these "poor old Missouri" calliopes to beat the band.

J. J. Page.

After a long illness of typhoid fever, Joseph J. Page died at his home in St. Louis Tuesday, Sept. 9, 1902, aged 36 years, 7 months and 7 days.

His remains were brought here Wednesday and the funeral services conducted at the residence of Thos. A. Walker, by Elders Fred V. Loos, of Liberty, and George Plattenburg of Dover, at two o'clock in the afternoon. His remains were buried in the city cemetery.

The deceased was the son of Mrs. Granville Page, of this city, and he was born and raised at Page city. He married Miss Ella Tabb and was employed as a conductor on a street car line in St. Louis. In addition to his wife and mother, three brothers and seven sisters mourn his death. They are Temple Page, of near this city; Benj. Page, of West Butte, Cal.; and Heber Page, of Dallas, Tex.; Misses Georgia and Mary Page, of this city; Mesdames Fanny Ralls, and E. C. Neale, of Kansas City; Mesdames J. W. Lewis and Alice Zentmeyer, of Kansas, and Mrs. T. A. Walker, of this city.

His death is a sad affliction to his young wife and relatives. He was a good citizen and a fine young gentleman, with lots of friends. The Leader extends their sincere sympathy to his mother, wife and brothers and sisters. —Higginsville Leader.

Torrens Law in Massachusetts

A letter from Boston to the New York Evening Post calls attention to the fact that the Torrens system of registering land titles is being gradually introduced into Massachusetts. This system, it will be recalled, permits the issuing of a certificate of title which obviates the necessity of going back to the original sources every time a piece of land is sold.

In Massachusetts the fee is comparatively high—\$25 for each title registered and \$2.00 additional for every \$1,000 of assessed valuation. The trustees of estate have found the registration system of especial value and advantage is being taken of the law

more and more in the cities. In the country districts the need of registering titles is not so pressing and the fee involved has prevented any general resort to the system. The advantages to be gained from it in the long run are so great, however that the general adoption of the plan is anticipated.

From the nature of the case it was not to be expected that the system would leap into use. Only in the gradual transfer of property would its advantages become obvious. The comparative slowness of its adoption in Massachusetts is no argument against the plan. A Torrens bill was introduced into the Missouri house three years ago, but it was never thoroughly understood and nothing came of it.

Not the Nesbit Law.

Here is the Globe-Democrat's editorial description of the recent conduct of the City Republican Committee:

"A specific parceling out of offices was arranged, in writing, by the city committee. It is charged, but also denied, that Ed. Butler was a party to the compact and had dictated some of the predetermined nominations. Back of all this despotic advance manipulation was the fact that the city committee appointed all the judges, clerks and challengers at the primary polls. The position of the committee was an assertion of supreme power over the party in St. Louis, even to the extent of a partnership with another party and re-electing itself."

The funny thing about all this is that the Globe-Democrat has forgotten to charge it to "the infamous Nesbit law." When republicans openly swindle each other, how can democrats enact a law that will apply provide for honor among them.

Praise and Criticism for the German Army.

The military representatives of the United States and England who were present by invitation at the recent review of the German army unite in saying that the German cavalry is the finest in the world due in large measure to the quality of horses used. But the emperor was greatly chagrined at the frank criticism of his infantry. The opinion of English and American experts was highly unfavorable to the compact organization and slow maneuvering of this branch of the service. General Corbin U. S. A. said:

"It would have been invincible in former days, with the caliber and range of guns which permitted hostile armies to approach to within a few hundred yards. In modern warfare, with artillery that reaches several miles and rifles with a range of 4,000 yards, the German infantry would be annihilated. Both British and American generals agree in this opinion."

English and American Manners.

Alexander Goff, formerly of St. Joseph, but now prominent in English mining circles, is visiting relatives there this week. He says: "The American people are too greedy in their quest of the almighty dollar to be polite. I cannot but notice the difference between the manners of the English people and Americans when I come over here. The average American has his face seamed with marks of worry and grows prematurely old under the strain of business. "In England everybody looks happy and contented. Why, during the enormous crowds of the coronation I did not see one unhappy face. There were no disturbances of any serious nature, and a few policemen handled the crowds better than an entire National Guard could handle a gathering of half the number in this country."

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Beware of substitutes.
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Boonville Branch Extension.

The Democrat has it on authority of a railroad man who is in close touch with what is going on in Missouri Pacific circles that the extension of the Boonville branch to Springfield is one of a series of extensions that that company will make during the coming year. Three surveys have been completed. The one from Jefferson City over the Bagoell branch is considered impracticable on account of the heavy grades encountered. The Boonville branch extension from Versailles taps the mineral belt of Central Missouri and gives them the direct connections with both of the company's main lines while the Warsaw extension will not afford this connection. The Boonville branch has therefore been selected for the Springfield connection.—Boonville Democrat.

A TEXAS WONDER

HALL'S GREAT DISCOVERY.
One small bottle of Hall's Great Discovery cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment, and will cure any case above mentioned. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. Box 629, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by all druggists. At Crenshaw & Young's.

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—I. H. M. W. A. DAYE.

Ex-Justice Gray is Dead.

Ex-Justice Horace Gray, who retired last month from the United States supreme court after a service of twenty-one years died Monday of paralysis. He graduated at Harvard with the class of '45, was admitted to the bar in '51, was appointed justice of the supreme court of Massachusetts in '64, and by President Arthur was appointed to the U. S. supreme bench in 1881. His father was the richest man in Massachusetts, having made his fortune in shipping. Judge Gray was one of the sternest and most dignified men in appearance that ever sat on the supreme court. His successor was Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr.

GASTRITIS.

Caused by Some Irritant Acting Upon the Mucous Membrane of the Stomach.

Inflammation of the stomach, gastric catarrh or gastritis, as this unpleasant affliction is variously called, may, like most inflammatory diseases, be acute or chronic in its course. The symptoms of gastritis are more or less fever, weak pulse, loss of appetite, coated tongue, foul breath, bad taste in the mouth, the head aches dully. There is sensation of weight or distress in the stomach. Gastritis is caused by some irritant acting on the mucous membrane of the stomach, the irritant is often formed in the stomach by the fermentation of indigestible food. Gastritis will never develop if you take regularly Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the guaranteed cure for indigestion, constipation and all diseases arising from stomach troubles. Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is an all the year round medicine. Good for the whole family from the smallest infant up. It is the best life insurance. Sold by Lerry Farmer. 50c. and \$1.00 bottles. 9-6ml

Fair Date for Next Year.

The boards of directors of the Lafayette County Fair Association met last week and decided to hold the fair next year on August 18, 19, 20 and 21. This is the week ahead of the state fair at Sedalia. By this early choosing of a date for next year the association will be able to get into the Missouri fair circuit.

Albert Allison Recovering.

The many friends of Albert Allison, Mr. Hackley's race horse, will be pleased to hear that he will recover. He was out of his stall Thursday for the first time since the evening of the race at the fair. He will not be able to race any more this season.

The horse has almost human intelligence. During his severe sickness he all but talked, and suffered them to do anything for him they desired. He wanted the negro man who takes care of him to hold his head in his lap constantly.

As soon as he is able he will be shipped to Moberly where Mr. Hackley is building a big barn for his horses.—Higginsville Leader.

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Automobile Accident.

The wife of Senator Stewart, of Nevada, was killed in San Francisco Sept 12 in an automobile accident. She was riding with her nephew, who turned off to pass a vehicle, lost control of the automobile, and ran into a telegraph pole. The speed of the machine was such as to throw Mrs. Stewart twenty or thirty feet. She was taken to a hospital near by, but died in a few minutes.

Public Sale.

Mrs. A. J. Klotz will sell the personal property on her farm 4 miles northwest of Wellington, Tuesday, September 30, at 10 o'clock. This property consists chiefly of farming implements, wagons, harness, carpenter and wagon makers' tools, garden implements, etc. 9-1312

Receiver Discharged.

Judge Thayer has discharged the receivership of Guardian Trust Company, which was organized some years ago by A. E. Stillwell to finance the Port Arthur Route. In the quarrel that arose between the Gates interest and Stillwell's friends the Gates crowd prevailed and forced the Trust Company into the hands of a receiver. It was supposed that the affairs of the company would be wound up, but the triumph of the Stillwell interests gives assurance that the company will continue to do a trust business.

Apples Wanted.

Bring your Jonathan apples to O'Connell & Matthews, at Lexington, who will pay the highest price for good merchantable apples. Bring your Jonathans in from the 10th of September on and other winter varieties from the 20th on. Packing house next James' cooper shop. Put straw in wagon to avoid bruising. 9-613

Suicide.

Lieutenant John R. Morris of the cruiser Olympia, now at Boston, committed suicide last Sunday by shooting himself through the head with a pistol. Lieut. Morris was one of the few survivors of the battleship Maine, blown up in Havana harbor just before the Spanish war. He was thirty-two years old and was born in Oregon, Mo.

CROUP.

Usually begins with the symptoms of a common cold; there is chilliness, sneezing, sore throat, hot skin, quick pulse, hoarseness and impeded respiration. Give frequent small doses of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, (the child will cry for it) and at the first sign of a croupy cough apply frequently Ballard's Snow Linctament externally to the throat. 50c at Crenshaw & Young's. 9-6ml

Oil Signs in Ray.

Traces of oil were found last week in the first well north of Richmond. It was thick and black. The well is now over six hundred feet deep. Another well has been started only a few hundred yards from the first. Four hundred acres have been leased in this tract. At Hallard a well is to be started in a few days. The prospectors are confident.

Stock Receipts at Kansas City.

Last Monday the record for stock receipts at the K. C. stock yards was broken. 25,976 cattle and calves were on hand. This was about 400 more than had ever been on the market on one day at the Kansas City stock yards. They came from everywhere.

The Missouri Baptist General Association will meet in St. Joseph Oct. 20 to 24. The organization in the state numbers 190,000.

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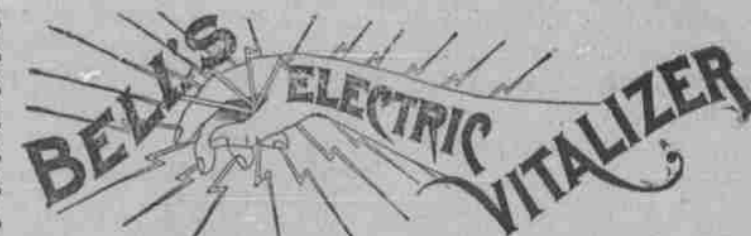
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